THE HON'BLE Mr. JUSTICE C.V. NAGARJUNA REDDY

Writ Petition No.18470 of 1995

Dated: September 12, 2006

Between:

Visakhapatnam Port Employees Welfare Society,
Rep. by its President B.R. Koduru, Visakhapatnam.

… Petitioner

And

Visakhapatnam Port Trust, rep. by its
Chairman, Visakhapatnam, and others.

… Respondents

Order:

When the matter was called in the forenoon, learned counsel for the petitioner was not present. Hence, the matter was passed over and even in the afternoon, learned counsel for the petitioner was not present.

The writ petition is filed by Visakhapatnam Port Employees Welfare Society questioning the action of the first respondent, i.e. Visakhapatnam Port Trust in canceling the allotment of quarter No.E-3, in favour of the petitioner through proceedings dated 18-07-1995.

Initially, an order of status quo was granted on 17-08-1995, which later came to be vacated on 23-04-1996. W.A.No.1320 of 1996 filed questioning the order vacating the status quo was also dismissed on

08-11-1996.

It is represented by Ms. Umadevi that the petitioner has been evicted from the quarters immediately following the dismissal of the writ appeal. Moreover, from the proceedings dated 21-06-1994, I find that initially allotment was temporary only for a period of six months which was subsequently renewed for another period of six months. I find no legally enforceable right in the petitioner to continue in the premises after the expiry of the licence period, as renewed later, which period also expired in the year 1995. For the reasons, I see no reason to grant relief in favour of the petitioner.

The writ petition is accordingly dismissed. No order as to costs.

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C.V. NAGARJUNA REDDY, J.

September 12, 2006
MRR